

## **ABSTRACT**

There is described compositions comprising a solvent and at least one compound of Formula (1):

Formula (1)

in which:

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 $\ensuremath{R^{1}}$  represents H, an optionally substituted  $\ensuremath{C_{1\text{--}8}} carbyl$  derived group, or a group of Formula A

$$(CH_2)_c N \cdot R^3$$
 $N \longrightarrow N$ 
 $R^4 \longrightarrow N \longrightarrow R^5$ 

Formula A

where:

c is from 2 to 6;

R³ represent optionally substituted C<sub>1-8</sub>carbyl derived group;

R⁴ and R⁵ independently represent an optionally substituent;

R<sup>2</sup> represents an optionally substituted C<sub>1-8</sub>carbyl derived group;

X, Y and Z independently represent H or an optional substituent;

M represents H or a cation;

m and n independently represent 0,1 or 2.

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Also compounds as in Formula (1) above providing that at least one of  $R^1$ ,  $R^2$ , X, Y or Z comprises a group of formula  $SO_3M$  or  $PO_3M_2$ .

These compositions and compounds are useful as the colorants to prepare colour filters for displays.